

Public Information Meeting

Meeting Federal Requirements for BART, NOx RACT and CAIR



Purpose

- Provide Information to the Public on BART, RACT and CAIR
- Present Options for Meeting Clean Air Act Requirements
- ◆Collect Feedback on the General Approaches and on Specific Questions

Air Pollution Health Effects

Ozone

- Decreased lung function
- ♦ Increased asthma attacks
- Depressed immune system
- Change in lung structure
- Potential premature death impact



Fine-Particles

- Premature death
- Decreased lung function
- Increased asthma attacks and chronic bronchitis
- Acute respiratory symptoms
- Respiratory and cardiopulmonary related hospital admissions
- Increased work and school absences



Environmental Effects of Air Pollution

- ◆ Reduced visibility
- Reduced crop and forest yields
- ◆Interference with ecosystems
- Acidification of lakes and streams
- Damage to buildings and materials

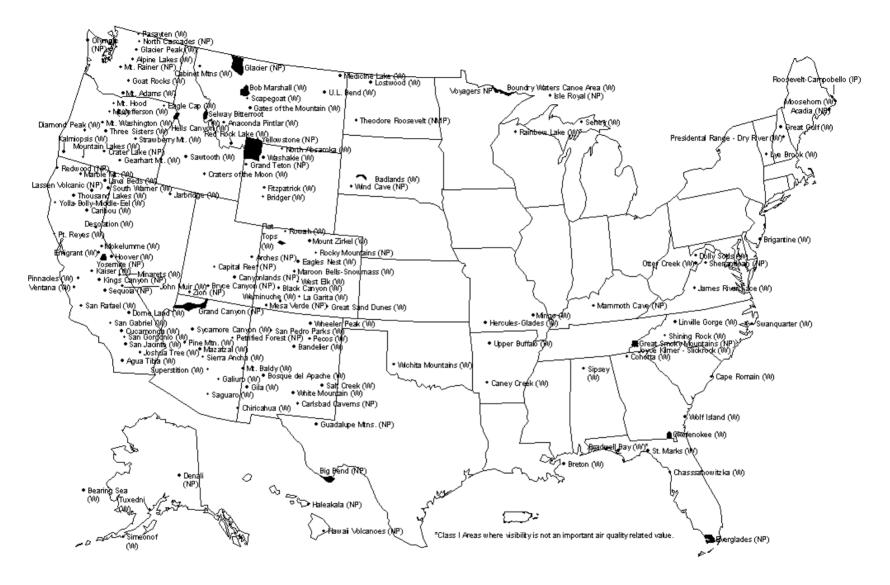


BART and Haze



What are the basic CAA requirements for visibility in Wisconsin?

- ◆EPA's Regional Haze Regulation
 - Protects Scenic Vistas in 156 Class 1 Areas in Country
 - ◆ No Anthropogenic Effect on Visibility by 2064
 - ◆ Reasonable Progress Deadlines (2018)
- ◆There are no Class 1 areas in the State where visibility is an air quality related value.



Map of 156 National Park and Wilderness Areas Protected by EPA's Regional Haze Rule



Haze Schedule

- Best Available Retrofit Technology (BART) for Several Major Industrial Sources and Several Power Plants
 - ◆ Hearing Authorization Mid 2006
 - ◆ Rule Adoption Late 2006
- ◆ Various Other Rules Limiting SO₂ and NOx Emissions to Meet Visibility Requirements
 - ♦ Hearing Authorization Early 2007
 - ◆ Rule Adoption Late 2007
 - ◆ Plan Due to EPA January 2008



NOx RACT and Ozone



What are the designations for 8-hour ozone nonattainment areas in Wisconsin?

- ◆ 5 Nonattainment Areas in Wisconsin
 - ◆ Milwaukee Area (Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Washington, Waukesha Counties) Moderate
 - ◆ Sheboygan County **Moderate**
 - ◆ Manitowoc Basic
 - ◆ Kewaunee **Basic**
 - ◆ Door Basic
- ◆Basic areas have slightly different control requirements.

Region 5 Ozone Nonattainment Areas

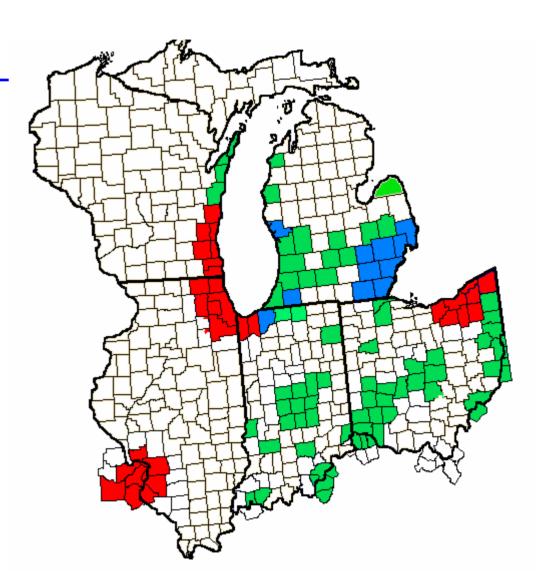


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Subpart 1 or "Basic" areas.







Ozone Schedule

- ◆RACT Reasonably Available Control Technology for Major Sources of NOx
 - ◆ Plan Due to EPA September 2006
 - ♦ Hearing Authorization Summer 2006
 - ◆ Rule Adoption Late 2006
- Attainment Demonstration
 - ◆ Plan Due to EPA June 2007
 - ◆ Hearing Authorization for Various Rules to Limit Emission of NOx and VOC – Late 2006 to Early 2007
 - ◆ Rule Adoption Mid 2007



Interstate Transport of Air Pollutants and CAIR



What is the CAIR?

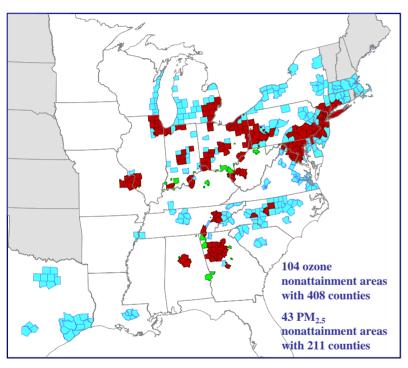
- **♦**Clean Air Interstate Rule
- ◆EPA Rule Requiring SO₂ and NOx Reductions from Power Plants in Eastern US
- ◆EPA is strongly encouraging states to meet the rule requirements through a Federal trading programs.

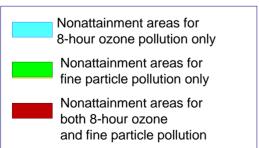
CAIR States WA. MT ND MN MA OR ID NY WIL SD MI WY PA Qη. IA. ΝE OH NVIN IL UT WV/ MD CA V/A CO KS MO KY DC. NC TN ŌΚ AZSC AR NM GA ALMS LA. TX Н FL ozone and particles ozone only particles only not covered by CAIR AΚ

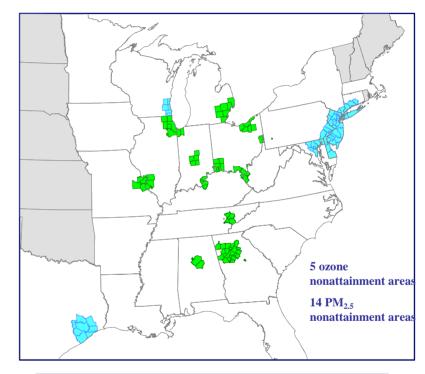
Ozone and Particle Pollution: CAIR, together with other Clean Air Programs, Will Bring Cleaner Air to Areas in the East - 2015

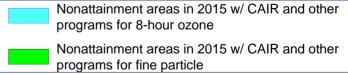
Ozone and Fine Particle Nonattainment Areas (March 2005)

Projected Nonattainment Areas in 2015 after Reductions from CAIR and Existing Clean Air Act Programs













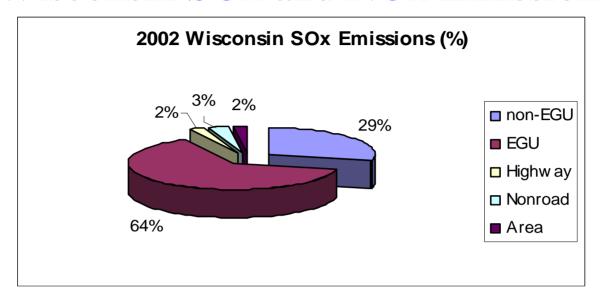
CAIR Schedule

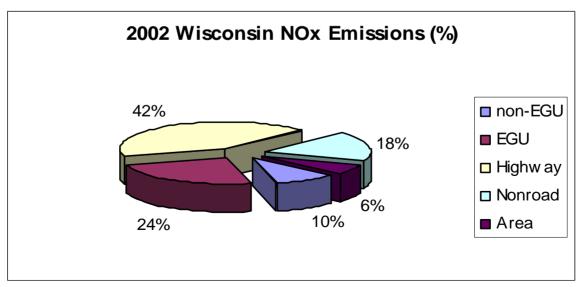
- ◆State Administrative Rule to Implement CAIR in Wisconsin
 - ◆ Hearing Authorization Mid 2006
 - ◆Plan Due to EPA September 2006
 - ◆ Rule Adoption Late 2006



Controlling Emissions in Wisconsin

Wisconsin SOx and NOx Emissions

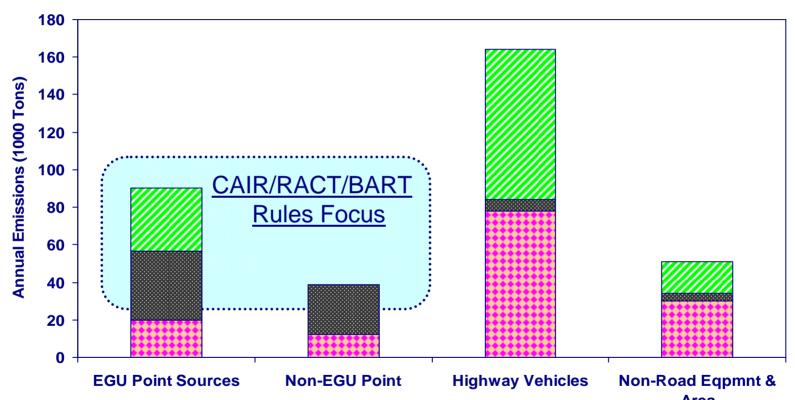




NOx Regulatory Focus

Projected & Potential Reductions to 2002 NOx Emissions by Sector

■ 2012 Residual Emissions* ■ 2012 Potential Controls ■ 2012 Committed Reductions**



^{*} Residual emissions would be the projected level of residual NOx from all sector sources assuming all identified potential controls are installed/implemented. For point sources this would reflect the lowest achievable system NOx emission rate using reasonably available controls. Conceptually this could reflect RACM applied on a statewide basis.

^{** 2012} Committed Reductions includes fleet turnover to Vehicles & Equipment/Engines meeting New Federal Tailpipe Standards and Enforceable EGU Controls with planned installation by 2012.



Emission Reduction Cost Effectiveness

Source Type	SO_2	NOx
	(\$/ton reduced)	(\$/ton reduced)
EGUs	1,000 to 2,000	1,000 to 2,000
Coal ICI Boilers	600 to 4,500	400 to 7,000
(50% Capacity Factor)		
Highway Vehicles	N/A	1,000 to 200,000
(Typical)		>13,000
Off –Road	N/A	>13,000
Equipment		



What if we do not comply with Clean Air Act requirements?

- **♦** Sanctions
 - ◆Offsets and Highway Funds
- ◆Federal Implementation Plan
- ◆Sanctions occur 6 months after failure to submit the necessary plan.
- ◆FIP may be coincident with sanctions.



How are we involving the public?

- ◆Public Information Meetings –BART, RACT, CAIR
 - ◆ March 29, 2006 Wausau
 - ◆ April 5, 2006 Manitowoc
 - ◆ April 6, 2006 Milwaukee
- More Public Information Meetings as Plans Are More Fully Developed
- ◆ Normal Public Hearings on Rules with 30 Day Notice and Comment Period after the Hearing